07-25-00 tomer No. 20350 16166-001800US Attorney Docket No. ___ NSEND and TOWNSEND and CREW LLP Embarcadero Center, 8th Floor 📰 🗗 ancisco, California 94111-3834 **56**576-0200 "Express Mail" Label No. <u>EK777546848US</u> ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS Date of Deposit: ___ July 24, 2000 BOX PATENT APPLICATION I hereby certify that this is being deposited with the United States Washington, D.C. 20231 Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 CFR 1.10 on the date indicated above, addressed to: Sir: Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 CFR 1.53(b) is the Assistant Commissioner for Patents [X] patent application of Washington, D.C. 20231 continuation patent application of divisional patent application of [] continuation-in-part patent application of Inventor(s)/Applicant Identifier: Peter Godlewski et al. For: SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR PURCHASING, INVOICING AND DISTRIBUTING ITEMS This application claims priority from each of the following Application Nos./filing dates: [] the disclosure(s) of which is (are) incorporated by reference. Please amend this application by adding the following before the first sentence: "This application is a [] continuation [] continuation-in-part of and claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/_____, filed _____, the N disclosure of which is incorporated by reference." Enclosed are: __ page(s) of specification __ page(s) of claims page of Abstract sheet(s) of [] formal [X] informal drawing(s). A [] signed [X] unsigned Declaration.

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